Forecast For Scotland
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Headline:
Sunshine and showers, occasionally heavy, also wintry in north.

Today:
Cold with early frost for many away from northern coastal fringes. Showers focused across Highlands, Islands and Northeast initially where they turn wintry, before bubbling up across central and south from late morning, bringing an increasing risk of afternoon thunderstorms.

Tonight:
Showers dying away from Central Belt southwards during the evening, before building in the north overnight and feeding southwards towards dawn, possibly turning wintry to quite low levels.

Thursday:
Another day of sunshine and showers, these most frequent from Central Belt southwards during the morning. Winds generally northerly, occasionally strong around western and northern coasts.

Outlook for Friday to Sunday:
Sunshine and showers for Friday, developing in central south for afternoon. Mainly dry, bright start for Saturday, then gales and rain spreading from south later. Wet and occasionally windy Sunday.

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